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CITY OF HOUSTON

Job Posting

All Persons Interested Applications accepted from:

(Including HAS Probationary Employees)

Job Classification **EQUIPMENT OPERATOR I**

Posting Number PN# 109506

Department **Houston Airport System Division** William P. Hobby Airport Section Airfields & Grounds

7800 Airport Blvd. * Reporting Location

Shift work, including rotation, weekends and holidays * Workdays & Hours

*Subject to change

DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES/ ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS 9

Performs skilled work involved in the operation of the following heavy equipment: (1) flail mower, (2) brush hog. Operations are primarily involved in the activities associated with airport runway grounds keeping maintenance. Performs manual tasks and activities related to section operations. Cleans and services equipment and tools and maintains a clean and safe work area.

10 **WORKING CONDITIONS**

Performing these duties will involve: expending physical energy for long periods; physical exertion such as repeated lifting of moderately heavy objects weighing up to forty (40) pounds; operating equipment for extended periods, deep bending, climbing steps and walking over rough surfaces for extended periods; adjusting to repetitive activities; reacting with dexterity and coordination; ability to read, speak and write effectively; recognize sound, tone and pitch; performing duties during extreme levels of heat, cold, moisture and/or varied environmental noise, fumes and odors. Must be willing and available to work all shifts, including rotation, weekends and holidays. Must be able to obtain and maintain security clearance.

11 MINIMUM EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Ability to read, write, add, subtract and follow oral and/or basic written instructions that might be acquired through nine (9) to eleven (11) years of formal schooling.

12 **MINIMUM EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS**

Six (6) months of experience in the operation of plant or automotive equipment and attachments are required.

13 MINIMUM LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

Valid Class A or B Commercial Texas driver's license and compliance with city's policy on driving (AP 2-2).

14 **PREFERENCES**

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Ability to understand and implement oral and written instructions. Ability to communicate effectively with a broad group of personnel. High School Diploma or GED Certificate preferred.

SELECTION/SKILLS TEST REQUIRED

Application review, equipment performance test and/or interview.

16 <u>SAFETY IMPACT POSITI</u>ON ⊠ Yes \square No

If yes, this position is subject to random drug testing and if a promotional position, candidate must pass an assignment drug test.

17 **SALARY INFORMATION**

Factors used in determining the salary offered include the candidate's qualifications as well as the pay rates of other employees in this classification. The salary range for this position is:

Salary Range - Pay Grade 8

\$ 793.00 - \$ 920.00 Biweekly \$20,618.00 - \$23,920.00 Annually

18 **OPENING DATE** MARCH 22, 2006

19 **CLOSING DATE** APRIL 4, 2006

20 **APPLICATION PROCEDURES**

Only original applications, resumes and online submissions are accepted for Houston Airport System jobs, and must be received by the Human Resources Department during posting opening and closing dates shown, between 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at 611 Walker St., 1st floor or, for advanced consideration, submit online at:

http://agency.governmentjobs.com/houstonair/default.cfm.

Our TDD (Telephone Device for the Deaf) phone number is 713.837.9471. Candidates will be notified of their application status. All new and rehires must pass a pre-employment drug test and are subject to a physical examination and verification of information provided.

"If you need special services or accommodation, please call 281/233-1515." The Houston Airport System Human Resources TDD phone number is 281/233-1862.

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